

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Gangolli (*as amended herein*)  
SERIAL NUMBER: 10/029,020 EXAMINER: Rita Mitra  
FILING DATE: December 19, 2001 ART UNIT: 1653  
FOR: POLYPEPTIDES AND NUCLEIC ACIDS ENCODING SAME

**Mail Stop PETITION**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION AND AMENDMENT TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP IN A NONPROVISIONAL  
PATENT APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.48(b) – FEWER INVENTORS DUE TO  
AMENDMENT OR CANCELLATION OF CLAIMS**

Dear Sir:

The prosecution of the above-identified nonprovisional application has resulted in the cancellation of claims so that fewer than all of the currently named inventors are the actual inventors of the invention being claimed in the instant application. Therefore, Applicants submit this Amendment and Petition to correct inventorship by deleting the following names:

Anderson, David W.; Boldog, Ferenc L.; Burgess, Catherine E.; Casman, Stacie J.; Ji, Weizhen ;  
Kekuda, Ramesh ; Li, Li ; Liu, Xiaohong ; MacDougall, John R.; Malyankar, Uriel M.;  
Patturajan, Meera ; Shimkets, Richard A.; Smithson, Glennnda ; Spytek, Kimberly A.; Stone,  
David J.; Vernet, Corine A.M.; and Zerhusen, Bryan D.

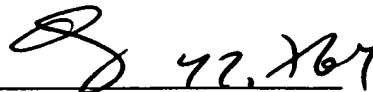
Each of the above listed inventors' invention is no longer being claimed in the instant nonprovisional application.

Applicant submits herewith the appropriate fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(h). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or to credit any overpayment, to the undersigned's account, Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Ref. No. 21402-225.

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Should the Commissioner have any questions concerning this petition, he is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number provided.

Respectfully submitted,



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